The Honorable William B. Franke Secretary of the Havy Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Franke:

Mr. Dulles has asked me to thank you for your letter of 4 October 1960, inviting this Agency to nominate an official to attend the course in Naval Warfare at the 1961-62 session of the United States Maval War College. We are happy to accept the invitation.

STATINTL dates, the Agency is pleased to amnounce its selection of to be its representative in the 1961-62 Course.

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a GS-15 employee, is forty-one years of age. ie was granted an A.B. degree by and interest of Michigan, George-town University and American University. He served with the United States Army from 1942 to 1947 attaining the rank of Major. A portion of this time was spent with the Office of Strategic Services. Are currently holds the rank of Lieutenant Colonal, NI-UBAR. He has been with this Agency eleven years which includes service in the Far East.

Action has been initiated to obtain for an Atenic STATH Energy Commission "Q" Clearance. Our Security Office will notify the A Security Officer at the Naval War College as soon as this clearance has been granted.

In behalf of the Agency, I wish to express our appreciation for the continuing opportunity to participate in the training program of the Eaval War College.

Sincerely,

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## HATTHEW BAIRD Director of Training

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